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SUBJECT: PROPOSED THIRD PARTY AGREEMENT WITH JAMAICA/AMATEUR
RADIO OPERATION

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1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING NOTE FROM GOJ DATED
FEBRUARY 19, 1976:

2. QTE: THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND HAS THE HONOUR TO PROPOSE THAT AMATEUR RADIO STATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES AND JAMAICA BE PERMITTED TO EXCHANGE MESSAGES OR OTHER COMMUNICATIONS FROM OR TO THIRD PARTIES DURING THE PERIOD 3RD JULY, 1976 TO 15TH OF AUGUST 1976, WHICH PERIOD COINCIDES WITH THE OCCASION OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES TO BE HELD IN MONTREAL, CANADA. SUCH MESSAGES OF OTHER COMMUNICATIONS WOULD BE EXCHANGED UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

A.) NO COMPENSATION MAY BE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY PAID ON SUCH MESSAGES OR COMMUNICATIONS;

B.) SUCH COMMUNICATIONS SHALL BE LIMITED TO CONVERSATIONS OR MESSAGES OF A TECHNICAL OR PERSONAL NATURE FOR WHICH, BY REASON OF THEIR UNIMPORTANCE, RECOURSE TO THE PUBLIC TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE IS NOT JUSTIFIED;

C.) THIS ARRANGEMENT SHALL BE APPLICABLE WITH RESPECT TO ALL AMATEUR RADIO STATIONS DULY LICENSED BY APPROPRIATE

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AUTHORITIES OF UNITED STATES OR JAMAICA.

3. IF THE FOREGOING PROPOSALS ARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE EMBASSY, THE MINISTRY HAS THE HONOUR TO PROPOSE THAT THIS NOTE AND THE EMBASSY'S REPLY SHALL CONSTITUTE AN UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ON THIS SUBJECT. THIS UNDERSTANDING SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE ON THE 3RD JULY, 1976 AND SHALL TERMINATE ON THE 15TH OF AUGUST 1976. UNQTE.

4. PLEASE ADVISE IF ABOVE PROPOSAL ACCEPTABLE.
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